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NOTIOE. T Have This DAY Established myself as a MERCHANT, and COMMISSION AGENT. HARRY WICKING.

CLUB CHAMBERS. Hongkong, April 2, 1880.

NOTICE. TATR. PHILIPP ARNHOLD has been

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NOTICE. TR. ROBERT HOWIE and Mr. IVI RONALD GREIG are authorized

to Sign our Firm per Procuration from this DEACON & Co. Canton, March 81, 1880. my1

NOTICE T Have Turs Day Established myself as GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT and AUCTIONERR in this Colony, at 48, Queen's Road Central, under the Style or

Firm of " Eq. DA SILVA & Co." A. A. ECA DA SILVA. Hongkong, March 20, 1880.

ELWELL CEASING from this Date.

NOTIOE. MR. N. C. STEVENS is hereby authorized to Sign our Name by Procuration at Amor, the Power held by Mr

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed

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China, February 9, 1880.

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Hongkong, 3rd March, 1880. FOR SALE

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Intimations.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Sprong On Fire INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION TOTICE is hereby given, that at an Ex traordinary MERTING of the SHABE-HOLDERS of the above Company, held the Head Office, Nos. 8 and 9, Fraya West, Victoria, in the Island of Hongkong, on the 17th day of December, 1879, it was resolved to dissolve and wind up the said Company, and that all outstanding Policies should be redeemed. Such outstanding Policies having now been redeemed, all Persons having any CLAIM against the above Company are hereby requested to forward full Particulars thereof to the Solicitors of the said Company on or before BROADWOOD'S PIANOS for SALE or HIRE. the 10th day of May next, after which date a General Distribution of the Assets will take place, and no Claim will be admitted thereafter.

Dated the 25th day of March, 1880. BRERETON AND WOTTON, 29, Queen's Road, Hongkong, Solicitors for the SHEONG UN FIR INSURANCE COMPANY, LTD.

DENTAL NOTICE. T.R. ROGERS, now on a visit to SHANGin the Winter as usual.

Hongkong, April 1, 1880. DYNAMITE, FUSES, DETONATORS, TROM NOBEL'S EXPLOSIVES CO..

LIMITED, GLASGOW, can be had in 5.80 p.m. any Quantity on application to THE BORNEO Co., Ld., Agenta, Hongkong, March 8, 1880.

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This Company has been formed for the purpose of acquiring from the Proprietors of the Cosmopolitan Dock, their Dock and the Ground and Premises belonging thereto. with the Plant, Machinery, and Stock-in-Trade of the parties aforesaid, and the Business and Goodwill thereof, and of carrying on the Business of Shipwrights and Engineers in the Colony of Hougkong. For this purpose an absolute Assignment dated the Slat day of January, 1880, has been entered into by Mesers WILLIAM HOWELL FORBES, FRANK BLACKWELL FOR-BES. SAMUEL WYLLYS POMEROY, Junior, JOHN MURRAY FORBES, Junior, FREDERICK DELANO HITCH, HENEY DE COURCY FORBES, and CHARLES VINCENT SMITH, Merchants, trading as Russell & Co., as Trustees of WILLIAM BOLTON SPRATT, ANDREW JOHN-STOR, and NELSON SPRATT, the owners of the said Cosmopolitan Dock, with Messrs KWOK ACHEONG, WILLIAM HOWELL FORBES CHARLES VINCENT SMITH, and JOSE AN-TOMIO DOS REMEDIOS, Directors of the said Company, for the purchase of all the premises mentioned, without further confirms.

sum not less than \$100,000, the said sum of \$500,000 aball abate accordingly. The Coamopolitan Dock is of sufficient dimensions to dook the largest Vessels afloat; it and the Plant and Machinery belonging thereto are now in perfect order. The Business of Building, Docking, Making, and Repairing Vessels is in full operation, so that the Company can at once enter upon active business, which it is expected will be highly remunerative. The Business of the Company will be con- above on duoted by Messrs Russell & Co., as General Daylight

tion, for the price or sum of \$500,000,

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the annexed form, will be received by the

Agents, up to the 15th day of April, 1880.

Agents, assisted by a Board of Directors.

THE COSMOPOLITAN DOOK COM-PANY, LIMITED. To Measis Russell & Co., General Agents.

GENTLEMEN. hereby request that you will allot to Shares in the above Company, and

agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to ... and agree to pay the first Call of \$75 per share on allotment, and the second Call of \$25 per share on the 1st day of May, 1880, and to subscribe the Articles of Association when required to do so. Gentlemen, Your obedient Servant.

is authorized to receive Subscriptions. Ad- N.B.—Blank Form of Application for vertisements, do., for the China Mail, Shares may be had at the Office of the Overland Chino Mail, and China Review. General Agents.

日七十月二年辰庚 Intimations.

NOTIOE. ATOTICE is hereby given, that by a Brit of SALE, dated the 5th day of November, 1879, and made between JACOB FRITZ SHUSTER of the ORIENTAL HOTEL, VICTORIA, HOTEL KEEPER of the one Part, and the Hongkons & Shanghai Banking CORPORATION of the other Part, all DEBTS from time to time due and owing to the said JACOB FRITZ SHOSTER Were assigned by him to the said Banking Corporation. And all Persons INDEB ED to the said JACOB FRITZ SHUSTER are therefore hereby notified to pay the amount of their Debts to the said Banking Corporation.

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By Order. P. A. DA COSTA.

Secretary. Hongkong, March 30, 1880. NOW READY.

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The Spanish Steamer
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BLANCO, Master, will be The Spanish Steamer

WEDNESDAY, the 7th last, at 5 o'clock p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co.

Hongkong, April 5, 1880. CCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship "Deucalion,"
Captain Brown, will be
despatched on or about the 9th April.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Agents. Hongkong, March 29, 1880. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for Cheroo, Newchwang, Tien-TSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGISZE) The Co.'s Steamship Captain KIBRPATRICK, will be despatched on or

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agenta, Hongkong, April 2, 1880. FOR PORT DARWIN, COOKTOWN

about the 10th Instant.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for all Australia and NEW ZEALAND PORTS. The Steamer T. Rowis, Commander, will be despatched as

above on BUNDAY, the 11th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, April 8, 1880.

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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agente. Hougkong, March 30, 1880. for singapure, Brisbang, Byd. NEY AND MELBOURNE. (Calling off the unial Coast Ports, and taking through Cargo and Passengers

for New Zealand.)

The Eastern and Aus trallan Mail Steam Co. Steamer Somersel will be despatched as above on WEDNES DAY, the 14th April, at 2 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, March 30, 1880.

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FOR YOKOHAMA, HIOGO AND NAGASÁKL The Steamship " Glenfalloch," Captain Paux, will be or about the Brd Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, March 30, 1880. STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

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8th April, will have quick despatch. A. Molver, Superintendent. & O. S. N. Co.'s Offiss,

Hongkong, March 30, 1880.

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Captain OLOVOH, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOGKL & Co.

Hongkong, March 27, 1880. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Ship The A 1 American Ship
"Wm. H. Marcy,"
MAROY, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

RUSSELL & Co. Horgkong, March 20, 1880. FOR NEW YORK.

For Freight, apply to

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The A I American Bhip ADAMS, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

Hongkong, March 15, 1890. FOR LONDON. The A 1 British Bark

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VOGEL & Co.

SMITH, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

VOGEL & Co Hongkong, March 15, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK. The A I American Ship " R. Robinson," SMITH, Master, will load bere for the above Port, and will

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, January 2, 1880.

Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE.

ABOUT 450 Picots PINANG MUTS Ex "ELIZA HAWLEY," FROM GOVONTALO. MONSIGNEES of the above named Cargo

are informed that the same has been

landed and stored in Meson Lampersin & Co. a Wauchai Godowns, and unless delivery is taken within one week from this Dale, the Goods will be Bold to pay ex-MELCHERS & Co., Agenta "Eliza Hawley."

Hongkong, April 5, 1880.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

THE BRIT. BARK "PALESTINE," FROM LONDON. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the

Undersigned for countersignature, and to

Cargo impeding the discharge of the

Vessel will be landed and stored at Con-

take immediate delivery of their Goods.

signees' risk and expense.

MEYER & Co., Hongkong, April 2, 1880. FROM CALODITAL PENANG AND

BINGAPORE THE S. S. Morey having arrived from

L the above Ports, Consignment Clarge
are hereby requested to send in their Bills
of Lading to the Undersigned for possible. signature, and to take homeilate deligary Oargo impeding her discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consequent state and expense,

JARDINA MATERSON & Com Hongkong, April 1, 1880.

GERMAN BARK NAUTILUS, CANALS

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Cargo impeding the discharge of the Versel will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense. BIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, April 1, 1860.

Per Fuyew, at 9.30 a.m. To-morrow, the

Per Glencoe, at 4.80 p.m. To-morrow, the

Per Emuy, at 4.30 p.m., on Wednesday,

For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOODHOW .-

Per Cleveland, at 5 p.m., on Thursday,

Per Consolation, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the

Per Sumida Maru, at 5 p.m., on Friday,

The United States Mail Packet Gae'ic, will

2.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Letters

Correspondence for Non-Union West Indies

until the time of departure.

cannot be sent by this route.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.—

The British Contract Packet Gwalior

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the 7th April, with Mails to and

through the United Kingdom and

Europe vid Brindisi; to the Straits

Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon,

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be despatched on WEDNESDAY,

the 14th April, with Mails to and

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Europe, vid Naples; to Salgon, Straits

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India (vià Madras), Australia, New

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P.M.—Money Order Office closes.

except the Night Box, which is

always open out of Office hours.

Posting of all printed matter

on board the packet with Lato

Fee of 10 cents until time of

P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases.

5.30 P.M .- Post Office closes till 8 P.M.

and patterns ceases.

10 P.M. - Mails closed, except for Late

10.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with

10.30 r.m .- when the Post Office closes

10.40 r.m.—Late Letters may be posted

HOURS OF CLOSING

Mails, &c., by the French Contract

P.M. - Money Order Office closes.

open out of Office hours.

A.M.—Registry of Letters cesses.

A.M. - Mails closed, except for Late

Late Fee of 10 cents until

Posting of all printed matter

on board the packet with Late

Fee of 10 cents until time of

A.M. -- Post Office opens.

and patterns ceases.

11.10 A.M. Letters may be posted with

11.30 A.M.—when the Post Office closes

11.40 A.M.—Late Letters may be posted

Quotations.

Rongkong, April 6.

New Benaves, cash, 610

New Malwa, credit, 775

Old Malwa, credit, 800

Exchange

Demand,

Documentary, 4 months sight, 3/10

80 days sight, ...

Shares.

Union Ins. Society of C'ton, \$1,450, p.share.

China Traders' Ins. Co., \$1,450, per share.

North China Ins. Co., The. 1,150, per share.

Yangtaze Ins. Assoc., Tls. 730, per share.

Chinese ins. Co., \$300, per share sellers.

H.K. Fire Ins. Co., \$815, per share, sales.

H.K. C. M. S.-boat Co., \$25 prem., sales.

Obina Sugar Refining Co., \$161, p. s., sales.

Chirese Imperial Loan of 1874, nominal

Temperature.

Queen's Road.)

Hongrong, April 6.

1. P.M. ...

1 г.м... 73

4 P.M. ... 75

Do. 4 P. M. 72

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Banometar 9 a.m. ... 80 130

Do. (Wet bulb) 9 A.M.

Do. Maximum

Do, Minimum over night 69

THERMOMETER-9 A.M....

of 1877,

Gold Leaf, 991 fine ... 27.40

Hongkong Bank, 68 % prem. sales.

H.K. & W. Dook Co., 6% prem.

Hongkong Gas Co., \$75 per share.

30 days' sight,

demand, ...

Shanghai, demand,

Sovereigne,

India, Wire....

4 months' sight.

departure.

OPIUM .- New Patna, cash ... \$645

Post ()ffice closes, except the

THE FRENCH MAILS.

departure.

Packet :-

Day before Departure,-

Day of Departure,-

Late Fee of 10 cents until

P.M.-Post Office opens.

MAILS BY THE FREEDR PACEET.-

Hongkong, March 29, 1880.

Australian Colonies.

and Alexandria.

the Mails, &c.

Packet :-

Day of Departure,-

be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the

7th April, with Mails for Japan, San

Francisco, the United States, Canada,

Honolulu, Peru, &c. which will be

(except for Non-Union Countries) may

be posted on board the Packet with

Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage

(except the Bahamas and Hayti),

Monte Video, Paraguay, and Uruguay

MAILS will close:

For AMOY AND MANILA .-

For SHANGHAL .--

7th inst.

the 7th inst.

the 8th inst.

For JAPAN via KOBE.-

the 16th inst.

closed as follows :-

15-P.M.-Registry ceases.

For BANGKOK.—

- 9th inst.

. 7th inst.

For SAIGON .-

For Sale.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE. NEW AND POPULAR

EDUCATIONAL,

HISTORICAL, Works of Reference, Figures, and

GENERAL LITERATURE. " English Circumnavigators." Macan's "Great Triumph of Great Men." Herbert's "Great Historical Mutinies." Monorieff's "Famous Historical Scenes." " English Explorers." Mason's "Book for Every Day." Bruce's "Book of Notable Women." Small's "100 Wonders of the World." Croal's "Book about Travellers." Burns's "Poetical Works."

Pope's "Poetical Works." Byron's "Poetical Works." " Roses and Holly." "Pen and Pencil Pictures from Poets." "Gems of Literature." " Book of Elegant Extracts." "Golden Gift Book."

"Treasury of Literature." "Garland of Poetry and Prose." "Cabinet of Gems." "Three Hundred Bible Stories." Bunyan's "Pilgrim Progress and Holy Stormouth's "Handy English Word Book." "Fifty Celebrated Men."

"Robinson Crusoe." "Household Stories." Noyce's "Boys' Book of Industrial Informa-" Famous Boys."

"Merchant's Clerk." Poe's " Tales of Mystery." Beeton's "Dictionary of Information." Beeton's "Dictionary of Natural History." Boeton's "Dictionary of Biography." Beeton's "Law Book." Beeton's "Household Management." Beeton's "All about Cookery." Beeton's "All about Hard Words."

Beeton's "All about Everything." Beeton's "All about Gardening." Beeton's "Household Amusement." Lee's "Law of Shipping and Insurance."
"Walsh on the Horse." "The Dog, by Stonehenge." Graham's "Household Medicine." Gardner's " Household Medicine." Piddington's "Sailors' Horn Book."

Goodfellow's "Merchant's Calculator." "Girls' Own Treasury." Peper's "Boys' Play Book Science. Foden's "Boller Maker, &c." Bunyan's "Law of Fire Insurance." Byrne's "Essential Elements of Practica" Mechanics."

"Corner Cupboard." Croll's "Climate and Time." Dawson's "Origin of the World." "Church Services," Whittaker's "Almanack for 1880." Duncan's "Transformation of Insects." Jones' "Book-Keeping." Jones' "Book-Keeping for Schools, with

Cassell's "Sets of Ruled Books for Book-Keeping Lessons." Cassell's "French and English Correspond-

Cornwell's "Geography." Cornwell's "Arithmetic." Cornwell's "Grammar." Murray's "Grammar." MacCullooh's "Course of Reading." "Practical Arithmetic," Senior. Smith's "Smaller History of Greece." Emith's "Smaller History of Rome." Motley's "Rise and Fall Dutch Republic." Motley's "United Notherlands." Barneveld's "Life and Death." "Enquire Within."

Nories, "Epitome." " Ingoldsby Legends." Humes' " Essays." Smith's "Wealth of Nations." "Boys' Own Treasury.' "Comic History of England." "Comic History of Rome." "Carpenter's Synonyms." Roget's "Thesaurus." Crabb's "English Synonyms," Anderson's "Mercantile Correspondence." Blakeley's "Commercial Dictionary." "Slang Dictionary."

Nuttall's "Standard Dictionary." Orllvies' "Students' Dictionary, Ogilvies' "Smaller Dictionary." Smith's "Synonyms." " Dictionary of Quotations," Chambers's "Arithmetic and Key." " Manual of Arithmetic."

" Manual of Mechanics." "Manual of Steam Engine." "Manual of Tides and Tidal Ourrents." " Manual of Mathematical Tables." Dickens's ! Child's History of England.' Hand Book "Travel Talk." Bancroft's " History of United States." "Child's Guide to Knowledge."

"Child's Fable Book." Maunder's "Treasury of Knowledge." Maunder's "Botany." Maunder's "Biographical Treasury." Maunder's "Scientific and Historical Trea-Maunder's "National History."

Ayres' "Bible History." Pewtner's "Comprehensive Specifier."
Froude's "Short Studies." Bourne's "Recent Improvements." Humes' " History of England." White's "Latin and English Dictionary." Buckle's "History of Civilization in Eng-

Amos "Primer English Constitution." Swinburne's "Picture Logic." Smith's " Wit and Wisdom." Gray's "Catalogue of Postage Stamps." Burn's "Self Aid Cyclopedia." Jones' "English System of Book-Keeping." "Manners Modern Boolety," Routledge's "Boys' Annual." "Language, &c. of Flowers."
Spencer's "Social Statics." Spencer's "Study of Sociology." Spencar's "First Principles." Spencer's "Principles of Sociology." Spencer's "Ceremonial Government," Spencer's " Kasays." Haydn's "Dictionary of Science."

Smyth's "Our Inheritance in the Great Pyramids." Haswell's Engineer's and Mechanic's Pocket Book." "Voyage of H.M.S. Challenger." "Compendium of Universal History." Weekly Welcome."

Macanlay's "History of England," Macaulay's "Critical & Historical Resays." Macaulay's "Writings and Speeches." " Cabinet Lawyer." Sheppard's " Fall of Rome."

Dr Ahn's "Studies in French & German," Ollendorff's "Method" in the study of Language adapted to the French, Spanish and German. NOVELS NOVELSII

NOVELS ! | | SCHOOL BOOKS, MAPS, &c., &c. Hongkong, March 24, 1880.

Insurances.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.) NOTICE.

TOLICIES granted at current rates on Marine Risks to all parts of the World. In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Two Thirds of the Profit, are distributed annually to Contributorss whether Shareholders or not, in proportion to the nett amount of Premia contributed by each, the remaining third being carried to Reserve Fund.

J. BRADLEE SMITH, Secretary.

Hongkeng, December 9, 1878.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON. ESTABLISHED 1824.

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THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foothow, Shanghai, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Notices to Consignees.

Hongkong, October 15, 1868.

STEAMSHIP "JAPAN," FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Steamer are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Cargo from along-

Cargo impeding her discharge or remaining on board after the 9th Instant, will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be M G No. 904,925, Mr A. d'Argence, 2 cases effected. Consigness are hereby informed that

any Claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 13th DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, April 2, 1880.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Glenfalloch having arrived from L the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her and by the Loudoun Castle from NEW Your are hereby informed that their Goods -with the exception of Opium-are being anded at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 10 a.m. To-Morrow. Cargo remaining undelivered after the

8th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkoug, April 1, 1880

Not Responsible for Debts.

NTerther the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for PRAIR & Co. any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-

R. Robinson, American ship, Captain Smith.—Vogel & Co. KLIZA HAWLEY, British barque, Capt. J Tuckey.-Melchers & Co. SOUVENIR, British barque, Capt. Robt.

W. Acland.—Adamson, Bell & Co. NAUTILUS, German barque, Captain H. C. Thomsen. - Siemsken & Co. PALESTINE, British barque, Capt. Thos.

B. Maynard.—Meyer & Co. JAMES S. STONE, American barque, Capt. John Weston, Jr.—Captain. COMPTON, British steamer, Capt. Cowie. -Siemssen & Co.

To-day's Advertisements. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW

The Steamship Captain Abborr, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 9th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, April 6, 1880.

FOR AMOY. The Steamship "Diamante," Captain Cullen, shortly due, will have immediate despatch for the above Port.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 6, 1880.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGRRIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship Commandant REYNIER, will be despatched for YOKUHAMA shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail from Eur pe.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, April 6, 1880.

NOTIOE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co. & Steamehlp Commt. DE BOISSEUIL ed for sHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from Europe.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Agent. Hongkong, April 6, 1880,

POST OFFICE NOTICES. To-day's Advertisements.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, NEWCHWANG, TIEN-TSIN, HANK IW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship Capt. M. H. F. JACKSON, will be despatched on or about the 14th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, April 6, 1880.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE. TIME S. S. Glencoe having arrived from 1 the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her and by the Elysia from New YORK, are hereby informed that their Goodswith the exception of ('pium-are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from

the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 1 p.m. To DAY. Cargo remaining undelivered after the

13th Instant will be subject to rent. No fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, April 6, 1880.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Ex Yangtsé.

Tobacco, from Marseilles. Ex Oxus.

66/71, Or., 6 cases Brass Goods, from London. The usual hours will be observed in closing H (in dismond), 1/15, Order, 14 bales Duck, from London.

A D 1/4, Mr A. d'Argence, 4 cases Tobacco, from Marseilles. W & C 188/90, Order, 3 cases Merchandise, The following hours are observed in closing from Marzellles. EN&C Order, 14 bags Sharp Stones,

from Madras. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

SHIPPING.

Hongkong, April 6, 1880.

ARRIVALS.

April 6, Fuyew, Chinese steamer, from April 6, Glencoe, British steamer, 1901, W. A. Gulfand, London Feb. 23, Malta March 4, Port Said 8, Suez 10, and Singapore 31, General.-JARDINE, MATHESON &

April 6, Kwangtung, British steamer, 674, C. Abbott, Foothow April 2, Amoy 3

and Swatow 5, General,-Douglas La-April 6, Hesperia, German steamer, 1136, M. F. Johannson, Saigon April 2, Rice .--

April 6. Rojanattianuhar, British str. 933, G. T. Hopkins, Bangkok March 29. Rice and General .- YUEN FAT HONG. *

April 6. Penedo, for Salgon, 6, Iris, for Singapore. Cairnsmuir, for Saigon. U. S. S. Ticonderoga, for Shanghai. . Carisbrooke, for Swatow. 6. Corea, for Manila. 6, Hailoong, for Amoy, &c. Kashgar, for Shanghai. 6, Sunda, for Yokohama.

6, H.M.S. Vigilant, for Armoy. CLEARED. R. Robinson, for New York.

Yottung, for Swatow. Souvenir, for Manila. Gesine Brons, for Chefoo. Fuyew, for Shanghal.

PASSENGERS.

ABRIVED. Per Glencos, from London, Messrs A. C. Ramsay, and C. E. Miller, and Miss Belle Murray; from Singapore, 119 Chinese. Per Kwangtung, from Coast Ports, Mesers Harton and Crawford, and 192 Chinese, Per Hesperia, from Saigon, 20 Chinese. Per Rajanatlianuliar, from Bangkok, 84 Chinese.

DEPARTED. Per Penedo, for Saigon, 60 Chinese. Per Cairnsmuir, for Salgon, 75 Chinese. Per Carisbrooks, for Amoy, 90 Chinese, Per Hailoong, for Amoy, &c., 50 Ohi

To DEPART. Per Gesine Brons, for Chefoo, 2 Chines-Per Fuyew, for Shanghai, 100 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Glencoe reports Left London on the 23rd Feb, and had light southerly winds through the Bay, and easterly winds to Malta. Arrived there on the 3rd March, and left on the 4th. Arrived at Port Said on the 8th, and Suez on 10th. Moderate northerly winds down the Red Sea and light N.E. monsoon till off Ceylon, from thence to Acheen Head variable airs. Arrived at Singapore on the 80th March and left on the Slat. Had fresh monsoon with high set up to lat. 17, from thence light ditto, with thick fog outside. The British steamer Kwangtung reports: Left Foochow on the 2nd inst., Amoy the 8rd, and Swatow the 5th. Experienced during the first part strong N. H. winds and

Lammocks on the morning of the 4th. Passed a man-of-war (Iron Duke?) off Chelang Point. In Amoy: H.M.S. Sheldrake. BARON, will be despatch. In Swatow: S. S. Tientsin, Chefoo, and The British steamer Rajanattianuhar reports: Experienced fresh southerly winds with equally weather in Gulf of Siam, from thence to port moderate monacon with

heavy head sea.

high sea, latterly light variable winds and

fine. Passed a steamer bound north off the

MEMOS. FOR TO MORROW.

Shipping. 3 p.m. - Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co. Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco.

5 p. m .- Emuy leaves for Manila. 11 p.m - English Mail leaves for Port of Call and Europe.

General Memoranda.

Per Kwangtung, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the 8th inst.

THURSDAY, April 8:—
Noon.—Tenders for War Department Contracts close. Goods per Glenfalloch undelivered after this date subject to rent. FRIDAY, April 9:-

Daylight -Kwangtung leaves for Coast Goods per Japan undelivered after this date subject to rent. Return on S. S. N. Shares, at Messrs Russell & Co.'s.

MAIL BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. SUNDAY, April 11:-Daylight -Crusador loaves for Port Darwin, Cooktown, &c.

TUESDAY, April 13:-Goods per Glencoe undelivered siter this date subject to rent. WEDNESDAY, April 14:-

Noon,-French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. 2 p.m. - Somerset leaves for Singapore, Brisbane, &c.

SATURDAY, April 17 :-Daylight .- Mitau Bishl Mail leaves for Yokohama, &c.

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Passengers arriving in Hongkong, or any other persons who may desire to conault the files of local, China, Japan, American, English, Indian or Australian newspapers, are invited to call at the "CHINA MAIL" Office, where over sixty newspapers, dallies and weeklies, from these countries, are now filed for reference.

The publication of this issue commenced

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, APRIL 6, 1880. The following bours are observed in closing

Those few of our readers who were in China about thirty years ago will remember the name of the gallant Eusign Mesquita, who so distinguished himself in the Portuguese reprisals of that time. this sum was divided among local of jects NIGHT Box, which is always At the head of a handful of Portuguese in the following proportions :- Diocesan soldiers, he stormed and took the fort Home and Orphanage, \$150; Cathedral Pak-sah-lenng, near Macao, driving away some 2,000 Chinese braves who defended it, killing some 200 of the \$100; Naval Scripture Readers' Scalety enemy. This was after the foul murder (which has an Agent in Hongkong working of the Portuguese Governor Amaral, who, it was firmly believed, was killed and decapitated at the instigation of the then Vicercy of Canton. This brave officer (Mesquita,) who, we are informed, rose from the rank of an artificer, through his gallant conduct on that occasion, to a high rank in the army, has tarnished his record by the leading part he took in the terrible tragedy recently described in these columns. From the evidence taken at the Inquest, it would now appear to be beyond doubt that the crime which has so shocked the community of Macao. and greatly affected many residents here, case of claret and a case of brandy, and said was a premeditated and most unnatural murder. It was at first supposed that insanity must have been at work; but the peculiar facts now brought to light day, and that led to the discovery of the show that there was a most deliberate offence. method in the unfortunate man's movements. To many it may seem incredible that a father should make preparations, and then, at dead of night, proceed to exterminate his family-wife, and sons and daughters—while his mind was in a sound state. Yet the deliberateness with which this was done, and the steps that this murderous husband and father took to escape until he found his house surrounded, show but too, clearly that even the plea of insanity cannot save his reputation. We deferred publishing any details of this sad business until we could obtain reliable information; and as this has been furnished by the resume of judicial proceedings at Macao which are analagous to the English inquest, an China Fire Ins. Co., \$221, per share, sales. opinion can now be arrived at concerning the much-disputed action of Governor Shanghai Steam Navigation, Tis. 7 per s. Graca as to the disposal of the body. Ohina Coast St. Nav. Co., Tls. 110 per s. strong feeling was at first entertained boulders, such as would require two man to events to be competed for and they include against the Executive and the Rishop at Hongkong Hotel Co., \$66 p. shr., buyers. Macao, because military honours were refused to Mesquita by the one, Christian burial by the other. The regult of the inquest, however, places question upon quite a different basis. (Taken at Messre Falconer & Co.'s Premises, When he became a triple murderer, the gallant Colonel stripped himself of all rank; and when he hurried to the suioide's grave to escape justice he deprived himself of the right to Christian burial

interpretation of the decision arrived at

by the Judicial authorities in Macao:

and it necessitates the admission that

Governor Graça was right in the action

he has taken in this lamontable affair.

The removal of Commandant Garcias

from his position as head of the Police has Mrs Shields, who came upon the scene at the evidently been effected as a reminder to time, were also assaulted by the mob. No all officers that, however worthy may be the motives to disobey, discipline is and must be the first duty of a soldier. may be argued that to err on the side of charity in such matters as the future fate of miserable men like poor Mesquita, is ed to all public assemblies even amongst commendable; and so it may be. Under all the circumstances as they now appear, however, we are inclined to commend the action taken by the Governor of Macao in this matter.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "CHINA MAIL"

(Per E. E. A. & C. Telegraph Co.'s Line.) London, April 3.

THE ELECTIONS: NET LIBERAL GAIN FIFTY MEMBERS. The net Liberal gain 50.

THE PREMIER: THE "TIMES" SUPPORTS LORD GRANVILLE. -LONDON, April 3. The Times supports the claims of Lord

Granville as Premier. LOCAL AND GENERAL The next American Mail may be expected here on or about the 17th instr by the P. M. S. S.

San Francisco dates to the 20th March. THE O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Diomed, from Liverpool, left Singapore yesterday afternoon (5 h) for Hongkong.

Co.'s steamer City of Tokio, which brings

WE are requested to state that the steamer White Cloud has been chartered for the annual Pilgrimage to the grave of St. Francis Xavier. The steamer will leave this on Saturday, the 24th instant, at 51 p.m., for Macao, where she will stay only for a short time to receive on board the Macao Pilgrims, leaving afterwards for Sanchoan at 11 p.m. Tickets may be obtained from Mr J. de Souza, the Hon.

Secretary. aware of the performance. The programme, which has been already given, was with fow alterations gone through in a very creditable manner. The only performances calling for special remark were a song "The Warrior Bold" by Mr Arthur, which was well rendered and deserve lly encored; a recitation by Mr R. Fraser Smith; a song "Poor old Jeff" by Mr Williamson, and the efforts of an old Stanley Street veteran from H.M.S. Charybdis who brought the concert to a close with a few really comical comic songs which were heartily enjoyed.

WE are requested to state that the off rtory collected in the Cathedral from Jan. 1 to Easter Day, both inclusive, amounted to \$537 and 41 cents. Last Wednesday, at a meeting held in St. Paul's College Library. Expenses, \$150; Seamen's Chaplaincy, among both Naval and Merchant Seamen, and in connection with the Colonial and Military Chaplains), \$5); Poor (entrusted to Rev. W. Jennings), \$50; St. Paul's Cullege and Mission (entrusted to the Bishop), \$37 and 41 cents,

At the Harbour Master's Office to-day seaman of the British barque Palestine was charged with having broached cargo while the vessel was at sea on the 20th January last. Defendant admitted having opened that none of his shipmates had any share in the business. Defendant got drunk that His Worship sentenced defendant to pay the sum of \$5 for the liquor he had used,

and to be imprisoned for twelve weeks with hard labour. A DARING and unprovoked Chinese attack was made last evening at the Chinese Recreation Ground on the combined English

and Japanese Troups who were to give an acrobatio and miscellaneous performance in authorities. Holes were cut in the canvas, at first supposed to be only to permit surreptitions sightseeing, but these slits were Wa have been favoured with a copy of the ultimately ripped up large enough to admit | programme for the Police Athletic Sports of the ingress of any number of men-Shortly before the performance was timed, it is a long and varied one, introducing to commence, stones and even good sized several novelties. There are twenty-two throw them any distance were pitched into a 100 Yarda Still race, the stills being three the enclosure, and if the place had been feet blah, and provided by the competitors. filled much personal injury would no doubt themselves is this movely is open to all have resulted and a panio assuredly would comers and may use so a demised for have arisen. All idea of going on with the wooden legs during the few days intervenentertainment was abandoned, and the small ing. A few of the bilier events are taudience began to disperse. On their leave a Sick same a Tup of was tok Chin se in ing the place they were assailed by an excited crowd with sticks and stones; and Yow This is undoubtedly the natural and only | Kitchie, one of the company (the Magician) was thrown down and so kicked, besten and trampled upon that he is very much disfigured at the present moment and probably

maimed, and will not be able to take his

arrests have yet been made. The performance then about to take place was under the sanction of the Governor; but the presence of a body of police, usually grantcrowds more amenable to discipline, was denied, and there were present only two Sikh constables who were perfectly powerless against such a huge infuriated rabble. It is said that the ringleaders were ogged on and paid by the Chinese professionals engaged at the theatres in the neighbourhood and bursting with jealousy of their Japanese, Australian and Anglo-Indian brethren and sistern. It is disgraceful to have such an unprovoked outrage happening in our midst. It is a great slur upon our administration, o which unfortunately there, have been many of late. Later on a coolie was arrested for stealing a rope from the site of the intended performance and was sentenced by the sitting Magistrate to twenty-one days' imprisonment with hard labour. So far as the Company are concerned, they have the sympathy of the public, and it is hoped they may have a well filled house in the City Hall Theatre on Saturday evening, next, when Miss Annie Shields will take her farawell benefit.

"ONE who is willing to subscribs" sends us a lengthy communication in reference to the aubscription of \$660 to the Irish Famine Fund by the Committee and a few friends of the Club Lusitano. The letter appears to us to enter into details regarding the management and constitution of the Portuguese Club with which a newspaper has nothing to do, as the Ciub Lusitano is avowedly a semi-private institution. From the tone adopted by our correspondent, however, we fancy that opinions differ among the members as to the best mode of contributing to the Irish Fund; that no meeting was called to give prominence to the Club subscription; and that many were never asked to affix their names or give A PLEASANT evening's entertainment was their mites. The rivalry therefore appears afforded to a small audience last night at to be one of good-doing, however much the Temperance Hall. The soldiers and misunderstanding may have accompanied sailors for whom these entertainments are the details of the management. A suggesprincipally intended were very sparingly tion seems to have been made to make the represented, owing no doubt to the fact of Club subscription a general, all-round so many gunboats having left within the affair, embracing the smallest sums; but a last few days, and that the majority of the somewhat diffierent course was followed, men of the newly-arrived Charybdis were not and our correspondent and many others were left out In the cold. A certain sum has thus been lost to the Fund-which we suggest should at once be forwarded direct to some member of the General Committee. As our correspondent suggests, "this Irish Famile Fund has been productive of several Accal equabbles, and has given opportunity for hearty competition, which has generally ended in the advantage of the Fund." So let us hope it may be in this

instance also. Our correspondent is very sercastic over the appointment of Mr Ng Choy to the Council, and appears to think that certain Portuguese gentlemen are qualifying themselves or building up claims for a like post. But we can scarcely see how this can be, as a great deal has yet to be done ere the Portuguese residents who are said to bethirsting after English nationality and English responsibilities can sit upon the Hongkong Council of the Future.

Our corres ondent concludes his longdrawn-out epistle as follows :- "I wonder what the Committee and the Portuguese Sub Committees are doing. There are about 400 Portuguesa residents altogether in this place who are willing to contribute to the Fund, but who have not yet been asked to do so. Probably no large sum could be got from them, because many have no more than they earn by their daily tolt; but as true charity does not consist in. giving what one has not got, it is only fair that an opportunity of giving should beextended to all. Many residents here and in Macao feel grateful for relief given during the distress which followed the Typhoon of 1874; and no one need feel salismed if he cannot give more thin ten omis. If the labour is too great for the siready burd worked General Committee, let more sub-committees to appointed for this purpose; as I am aure no one will decline to aid in such a doubly worthy cause."-It seems to us, at the same time, that, however undesirable it muy be to repress the quaritable spirit, the Colony of Hongkong has nonly done its share in this Irush Bamine movement and this sustained effort to obtain an acciptions from the poorer Portuguese had better not a roofless tent erected by permission of the be pushed too far. Lat those give with can; and let those who can't give their sympathy.

to come off on Esturday tout, and charre Government employ panother for Sikha. and Gun Lasours : a Hartle race open to all Ohiners and Indians in Garerment omploy a zace for Ohlnete, and another for Indiana, and whit will probably prove one of the most amusing and interesting of all, a wreating match for Sikh Polide usual tour of duty for some days. Mr and Tossing the Caber, as suggested in our

to the turi, and our Scottish friends of the within the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods than those he I did not acknowledge to you at your gate and to the within the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods than those he I did not acknowledge to you at your gate and to the within the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods than those he I did not acknowledge to you at your gate and to the within the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods than those he I did not acknowledge to you at your gate and to the within the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods than those he I did not acknowledge to you at your gate and to the within the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods than those he I did not acknowledge to you at your gate and to the within the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods than those he I did not acknowledge to you at your gate and to the within the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods than those he is a training to the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods than those he is a training to the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods than those he is a training to the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods than those he is a training to the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods than the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods the last three years, and made as be attained by other methods. Force will confine the display of their many changes in its policy and line of con-Throwing the Hammer. The Royal Artil- it does not hesitate to distort the truth, to to inspect consulates and look up new fields were not eight shots fired that day; only been so bad, so dangerous, that his wife abate a public nuisance and had based on short award. About 8 o'clock they were lory have kindly volunteered to keep the colour arguments and to accuse the repreground on the occasion, as a recognition of the services rendered by the Police on the ter. This journal is believed to be the pro- new agencies it would be profitable for them I would go with you. day when the R. A's. held their sports. thus becoming not only rivals in sport but also in duty and reciprocal kindliness of spirit. From the known abilities of the Committee and the other officers, we have no doubt as to the successful management new arrived when the Government must of the treat in store for us.

THE American barque W. A. Holcomb, Captain Dunton, arrived at lioilo, from Hongkong, on the 23rd ult.

THE America a ship Gardner Colby, Captain Streeter, arrived at Manila from Shanghai Country, has the following extraordinary on the 29th ult.

THE-British 3-m, schooner Cardiganshire, Captain Phillips, arrived at Minila on the 23rd ult. from Hiogo.

captain's order. The Judge held that as sponsible except for necessaries supplied.

contemporary states that a new Lawn a fact that it was in contemplation to induce that reminds me of a good story I once Tennis Club is about to be started at into England the system of Press censorship read of how the police on Bendigo, when Home, of which the great novelty will be now in vogue at St. Petersburg. Those mutton and beef had become tedious, used the costume. The ladies are to wear present scouted the idea as ludicrous, but to run in a lot of the Chinese as witnesses, Highland dress, that is to say, they are to this week a society journal boldly states of course they were all sworn by cutting wear the dress of Highlanders. The spor- that Lord Salisbury has applied to Count | the head off a cock, that being exclusively ran will be uti ised for tennis-balls, and the Schouvaloff for a detailed description of the the practice. kilt will descend to an appropriate distance scheme. The same authority adds that the from the ground. But the fulness of the editor of The Times had agreed to uphold many plaits will allow the most perfect | the idea, on the understanding that his freedom to the limbs in running backwards | journal is to be regarded for the future as and forwards, while the bonnet will be the permanent organ of the British adminmuch lighter and more serviceable than the listration. accustomed rink hat. A well known and the costumes are already in the hands | THE following is in full the decree appearof the North British tailor.

garding the introduction in the Straits Settlements of a Government one dollar note. the local Daily Times given the following particulars of the profits, charges and ex- services of men of] talent, We repeatedly penses of the currency note circulation of the Indian Government during the year

1,876,585, and the entire charges and Inasmuch, however, as there is a probability expenses were Rs. 518,910. The profit is that numbers of educated men of extraorprincipally derived from the investment of dinary talent and ability beyond the average the money against which notes are issued are still remaining in the background, by in Government securities, and the interest reason of the inability of the Governorson such securities during the year amount- General and Governors aforesaid to extend ed to Rs. 2,377,573. Another source of their observation and enquiry in every profit was the selling to the public of direction, the names of all cannot yet have currency drafts at a premium, and from | been entered upon the memorial "tablets." this source Rs. 16,392 were received. The Enquiry must therefore be made on every Government note circulation in India is side, and search be presecuted in all thus seen to be a financial success, and, directions, in order to secure a more exbesides, is pronounced by the press to be a | tensive "take." We command the Grand very great convenience to the public, but Secretaries, six Boards, and nine chief different from this small colony.

Apropos of our recent leader on the adestablishing a Savings Bank here, it may be interesting to note what is ledge are gifted with special qualifications being done at home in the same direction as we pleaded that some steps be taken here. We read in a recent Overland Mail, as bine great capacity with rigid integrity; or purpose with charges of powder in holes

One of the ablest of the officers of the Treasury has, it is stated, framed a plan for within the reach of all classes of the community. Under this plan it will be possible. for anyone to buy or sell £20 in Consols by means of a simple transaction conducted through the local post-office. It is believed that if this system were adopted nearly all the savings of the working classes would be invested in the public funds, and this would increase the stability even of British Consols. The scheme is under the consideration of the Government; but whether it will be adopted is another question. Sir S. Northcote is distrustful of novelties, and he will probably leave it to his Liberal successor to give effect to this proposal.

of the 24th last :--

H. E. Tau, the present futal of Soochow, since his term of office commenced has made the people obey the regulations and laws of the town most strictly and carefully. During that short period of time, he has stopped all the opium smoking shops and female worshipping in public temples, and many other things which he has done chiefly for the benefit and interest of the people. All the Gates in different streets and pathways, are ordered to be closed early at night and not to open again under any circumstances until the sun rises next H. E. Tau, dressed himself in common following comments on the recognizable by others, and walked about morrow." H. E. Tau said "I wish to pass now on some very important business, and merchant :--I will give you two hundred cash, if you open the ga'e now." The gate-keeper once the volume of our foreign trade and again replied, "No, I cannot accept your the efficiency of our consular service, whatfor the next morning H. E. Tau cent for he had fairly got it propounded to Mayor In my opinion it is sufficient protection to

Ir is well, we believe, that the community agency of American firms and to their in should always know the relations existing between Government and certain organi which make a quest-protession, of being independent, honest, public journals. We give therefore the following sentences from a recent leading article in the Japan Gozette on the "Venality of the Press"!-- The Zakio Times in openly declared to be supported by only of the Government but of the import. there was severe blasting to be done I put He would be able to satisfy the Bench that the Government, who pay for and despatch made against the Rosso Times of Being the mean no reflection on Mosby or Badeau directions. When I fired these two shots persistently carried on he need only mental manual atoms fall at the back premises.

The Magintrate, remarking that Mr. Neate above boat came alongside and fired has left behind him a name and reputation to the public are so satisfied of the truth of social fact as that of a Roman canal used. There were some stones for how the public are so satisfied of the truth of social fact as that of a Roman canal used. ministers dave never peed retated; while American communication to Counsel; the bullets while past come atoms the bakew boat, past come atoms the bullets while past come at the bullets while common report that the journal in question to be. Would that dignity be enhanced it feet; not more. When that shot was fired Ashun many times about it. Nothing

perty of certain Japanese; and to be the to establish. organ of and under the control of His Excellency, the Minister for Foreign Affairs. This short statement of the existing condition of these two so-called foreign journals is founded upon public belief and substantial evidence in our possession; and the time has either disown their connection, directly or indirectly, with these newspapers, or submit to the disgraceful charge of being privy to, if not the instigators of, the gross insults which are being constantly tendered to the Foreign Ministers accredited to Japan."

A CORRESPONDENT, writing in Town and para. We must say we cannot believe it "Nobbling" still lives in some seventh-rate newspaper offices, both home and Colonial, but the practice is completely and immedistely destructive of press influence; and Ar the Falmouth County Court the Judge however the Times has swayed with the ping case in which a tradesman sought to changing wind of popular favour, it has C. P. Knight, for goods supplied on the in power or in opposition. No journal has plaintiff did not communicate with the a more honourable editorial record, as will agents or owner, the owner was not re- be readily admitted by every one who knows it :-

ing in the Peking Gazette which was referred to in the recent letters from our Canton A PROPOS of the recent discussion re- correspondent; we take the translation from the N. C. D. News :-

March 2.-A decree. Some time since, in consequence of the numerous difficulties of the time, and the urgent demand for [the issued decrees calling upon the Governors-General and Governors of the various provinces to recommend to our notice gifted individuals, that they might be in readi-- The clear profit for the year was Rs. ness for employment in official capacities. it is to be remembered that India is Ministries of State, with the Tartar Generals, Governors-General, and provinces, as well as Peng Yu-lin, and Yang Yo-pin, quondam Commanders-inchief, to make careful scarch and enquiry; and We authorise them to bring to Our notice any persons who to their own knowof a marked nature, or experience of wide extent; any who are thoroughly versed in [the science of] political economy who comwho excel in the art of governing. Also, any whose talents and strategical ability are sufficiently beyond the common to fit bringing investments in the public funds in-chief, or whose valour and bravery qualify them for subordinate military commands, together with any who are well acquainted with the conduct of international relations, or are thoroughly versed in the languages vessels and weapons, or whose acquaintance with the science of figures, qualify them to undertake the construction of engines or weapons of war. Or, again, any who have bassed upon practical experience. They will faithfully particularise the respective accomplishments they have discovered [in each individual and will honestly recommend him to Us, whether he belong to the THE following reads like an Arabia 1-nights civil or the military branch, and is, or is not, a member of the public service. They paragraph, but is really from the Shun Pao must not select anyone on the strength of mere reputation and "offer lutes in profusion" to make up the number. Nor must they, [on the other hand] endeavour to slur over their duty by declaring that there is no one they can recommend. Then, perhaps, will men of talent be forthcoming as each generation advances, and funded [capacity will be available in present or future crises. Thus will they duly second the intentions of the Court, which would secure the monopoly of talented men. Let this be circulated for

morning. Once at a late hour of the night, WE quete from the N. Y. Herald, the clothes, so as to make himself not easily consular system and Gen. Grant's plan for the streets; he finally came to a gate, and improving it by allowing consular officers asked the gate-keeper to open the gate, to combine the functions of a Government but had never been interfered with until okcoper sald, "No, come to Officer and the duties of a commission

general information.

General Grant's plan for increasing at cash, I have to do my duty faithfully, and ever else may be said of it, is startling. In | in blasting operations for over ten years. obey the orders of my superior." There fact it startled General Grant himself after took all proper precautions in this case. that gate-keeper, and gave him a reward of Stokley and the commercial people at surrounding houses to place a gunny bag five thousand cash, and praised him very Philadelphia. General Grant's idea is on the blast with atones on the top. The that if the consuls at remote foreign ports | nearer the house the more the stones | no were encouraged to add to their duties the | more than a bag with that is needed. comes the results of that employment men ! who cannot live on the fees of their consult feet. The whip I was whipped with was ships would be tampted into the service. like that produced now in Court. The main function of American consuls in To Mr Neste : I had been blasting stones many foreign ports, we regret to say, is to during the last four or five months in the and which requires immediate abstement, impart confidential information to the same ground. I have seen the atones may be mide without any previous request; Treasury concerning the intended misdeads flying in all directions, but not to any for necessity will then justify such an imof American imports. It is likely enough distance. I have not as a rule used any mediate entry. I ut only a magistrate can

that this part of their du les would be much | shields (here generally made of china-fir remove a gate on a highway road put there less onerone if they were the agents not poles and boards), but sometimes when by trustees." ers whose conduct was in question. An boards on the bags, I did not do so on an intolerable nuisance had persistently American citizen to day is no doubt the the occasion in question. These boards and maliciously been carried on. To show

A PERIPATETIC COR. of the Northern Standard has the following in a recent contribution :-

John Chinsman is said not to be very particular when on his oath, that is if he ever was legally placed in that position so that anything so taken could be considered by himself to be binding on his celestial conscience. I could not help feeling slightthe other day, who had evident companewas conscience or otherwise, as to how he on my arm have almost disappeared. ing a Chinaman when he "no likee matchee," but it did'nt come off, fowls cost money, and don' tless in these economical At the Savago Club, the other day, I days "the senior" thought it too much THE London correspondent of an Indian heard a leading journalist say he know for money to pay for a Chinkee's oath; and In the good old days of Bendizo.

- In the days of great King Gobb: When pipes were lit with £5 dotes, And nobblers cost two bob. After the trials were over the bodies of the alaughtered fowls had to be disposed of. and what fairer than "Robert" should have them after all the trouble he had been to in procuring these heathen witnesses So "the force" dined on the fat of the land for a time, but the Government found out "the little game," and d olding that the heathen Chinee was too expensive a class of witness, put a stop to the practice.

Police Ir telligence. (Before the Hon. C. B. Plunket) Tuesday, April 6.

BURVEYOR FINED FOR ASSAULTING A

The case was gone into to-day in which Mr S. R. Nexte, of the Surveyor General's Department, was charged on a summons with assaulting Tae Assaug, a contractor or head coolie, under circumstances which are | fully set forth in the evidence. At the opening of the proceedings Mr

Neate objected to Mr Stephens (of Messrs Stephens and Holmes,) appearing for the complainant, as he (Mr Stephens) was interested in the case.

The objection was overruled. The following evidence was then led :-Tse Ashun, a contractor, said he had a contract for the construction of the foundsions of a new house on Robinson Road for Mr Stephens and for the erection of the The contract was entered into with the Kwong Blug shop as a sub-confract. On after his men, who were digging out the ground for the foundations of the cookhouse. It was found necessary to blast some rock and two shots were fired for that precaution was used by placing gunny bags over the charges kept down by boulders them for the posts of General or Commander- placed on the corners. The rock to be blasted was on a level with the ground. and it was necessary to adopt that course to form a bed for the foundation. It was distant from Mr Neate's place about 150 or 160 feet. No other blasting took place that and literature of foreign countries, and day. Shortly after the blasting had been those whose skill in the construction of satisfactorily executed the witness went to the shop for some money and the men had knocked off work for their noonday meal. When a short distance along the road Mr Neste called upon him to stop, and horse. a thorough knowledge of nautical matters | whipped him. Witness asked in Chinese days before that Mr Stephens had beaten what was the matter. Mr Neate replied also in Chinese "You blast stones," took him back by his queue to the house. Mr Neate struck witness about thirty times. When they reached the steps leading to the house, Mrs Neate, who was sitting there, said something which witness did not understand, and he (Mr N.) then let

> Mr Stephens requested an order to be made for Mr Neate to produce the whip, but low? His Worship did not think he had that power. Mr Neate said he had no objection to produce it and would send for it.

Witness, again interrogated, said a European gentleman who was passing saw what occurred, and said something to Mr Neate, but he, witness could not understand might when he inflicted the beating, just as if he (the witness) was a thief. To the Court :-- After he was beaten be

went straight to his family house in Sai yingpoon, to rest, and remained there till about 4 o'clock; next day he went on with his work as usual, and has blasted rock since then and has not been interfered with. had been at work since the end of October never spoken to him before. He came to the Court the next day, the 27th, and was following Monday, the 29th.

Urosz-examined: The cook-house distant from the Robinson Road some 200

Neate was to beat me again. to go with you instead of being dragged,we come to your house, but save me the

where people see me." foreman that a man had been taken there before and was beaten in Mr Neate's house. ly amused with one of the yellow fellows left arm, and if 1 got other blows on any tions of something, I can't say whether it on and they made no mark. The marks recover from the owner of the brigantine never truckled or sold itself to any party the officer in charge of the case, which I defend himself as well as he could. We stood defiantly there on the wall and fired expected to see result in a cock bing had some conversation on the subject of off several blasts—strong and defiant, not brought in and his head being cut off, that my authority. Mr Neate had hold of him in his own strength, but alded and abetted being the most approved fashion of swear- by the pigtail. He had it firmly in his by Messra Sharp and Danby. He had hand. I cannot say he was screwing it up. | been directed to carry out that work | The defendant made exclamations in and he had done it. Two of Chinese the purport of which I cannot give. | workmen when they saw the understood that he was to do so.

> Coughtrie); I do not know that I saw the | ing stones at a man and his family. If a beginning of the assault. J. B. Coughtrie: About noon on Good assault even if one struck the man and Friday I was walking along Robinson harmed him. How much more should this Road, when I saw near Mr Neate's house rule apply in a case like the present. Mr Neste dragging a Chinaman along, one !

doing." He said, "He has been attempt- possible before taking life. Simon Lewis, foreman employed by Mr | the Magistrate to the following clause on the 24th ult., the second defendant came Danby to superintend the work, said he of the local ordinance :spoke to Mr Neste four or five minutes after the blast; Mr Neate was then coming of 1845.—Every person who shall wantonly dant, but was taken to a house in the same | community. His life was not an eventfrom his house; he asked where the man in discharge any fire-arms, or throw or dis- street, where she saw the first defendant on ful one, yet his name and fame have been charge was; he had a hors whip in his charge any stone or other missile, or make the first floor of the house. First defendant of world-wide celebrity for the last thirty man was. Witness followed Mr Neste up; firework, to the damage or danger of any there but him. After taking the tea she

cuts very hard laid on. He stopped when ceeding five pounds. last witness came up. He took the man by the tail towards his house. To the Court : Six shots were prepared and fired that day; only four went off They were each prote ted by large stones and gunny bags over that. I have seen spars and so on placed over heavy shots; this was not a heavy shot; it was only six ipohes or so : I should say a heavy shot was eighteen inches. I held myself responsible

for the proper precautions being taken, certainly not the Chinaman. Mr Neato never complained of the way in which blasting operations were conducted. Cross-examined by Mr. Neate: I did not think it necessary to go to the furthermost corner of the building to avoid the shot. was only 20 feet from the place of the blast. of the range and keeping the men out of the lowing evidence :-

distance in a minute. days before? Mr Stephens: I never gave him a beat-

Mr Neate: Did you not tell me a few

Mr Stephens: I never did anything of man who was doing wrong, and Mr Stein what Mr Stephens did.

which Mr Stephens gave that man worse or more severe than those I gave this fel-

Mr Stephens: I object to this evidence, ner. your Worship. I assure you that although these people are sometimes very provoking, I nover struck this man. The point, be- I must pass over your ground. I have on coming to her senses, that she had a son to be educated in Edinburgh, but on eldes, has no hing whatever to do with the done so some days in the forenoon and some | room to herself. There were three other case. If any man has a charge against days in the morning. I have heard and rooms on the same floor and they were also me for anything of the kind, let him come what was said. Mr Neate used all his here and prefer it in a legal form. I shall gun or anything. shall fully satisfy your Worship or any I know Mr Stephens' house. I have seen in the house till the evening of the 26th his paternal authority by insisting upon then be able to offer such explanation as other Magistrate. Re-examined: Your house (Mr Stephens')

marks of blasting. dressed the Court. He hoped to be able of which I was standing. On one occa- sister in-law, about the 27th or 28th. She Chitty, para. 2 and 3, p. 926, which laid it advised to take out a summons on the down that no action should lie against him for trespass were the same committed with To the Magistrate: I have been engaged a view to putting down a common nuisance.

The clause was this :--"With respect to the abstement of public nuisances, private individuals are in many cases allowed to remove them, without the interposition of any legal authority i and in others certain inferior officers, or persons authorized by custom or particular statutes, may summarily do the like, as a leet jury in destroying fraudulent or defective weights and measures, or bad meat,"

An entry to abate a nuisance immediately dangerous to the public safety.

columns, has not been introduced, as it was is known among foreigners as the Tokio American consuls undertook the double no man called out Ay Tah Tai. You have was done to abate the nuisance, and so he by the Ordinance which gave every man a fir We are going to search you for smuggled

shame of being beaten in the public road five people standing. That was no less The evidence of Mr Clarke showed that been taken from his boat, amounting in To Mr Stephens: I had heard from the was made. Mr Colston, of the Surveyor no saying how much farther it would have towards Hongkong, where he arrived on this blasting. He asked him to go that he up and stopped it. It was a severe the Inspector in charge of the Police Hulk. To the Court: I saved himself with my might be a witness when the case came on. assault. He saw the man soon after, From information he received this morning other part of my body I had several jackets ness, but he (Mr Neate) would be able to might have been made by the whip pro- prisoner from amongst a number of other prove that the thing was done wilfully and duced. The defence showed that the de- men as the man who boarded his boat with R. F. Noel Clarke, O.S.D.: On Good to ensure the safety of the lives of those justified in what he did by his object—to was to be sworn, not that think myself it. Friday shortly after noon I was passing by who were in the vicinity, or the safety of put down what he considered to be a public last witness's family, and the case was then much matters how you swear a Chinaman, Friday shortly after noon I was passing by who were in the vicinity, or the safety of put down what he considered to be a public last witness's family, and the case was then you are just as unlikely to get truth out of Robinson Road in a chair. I saw the de- adjoining property. He was prepared to nuisance. What he ought to have done remanded till Saturday next. bim by one process as another. The fendant beating a Chinaman with a riding show that it was persistently carried on, by was to bave taken out a summons and practice in our local hall of justice is to whip such as that produced in a most in- witnesses whom he would produce. He brought the case before the Court. The blow'em out matchee," and inform John human manner. I got out of my chair had intended to lay before the Magistrate offence, as he had said, was clearly proved. that a similar puff will extinguish his im- and requested him to stop, and he did so. on this point letter C. S. O. 873 and had Defendant was fined \$10 for the assault mortal spirk in case he should fail to tell He did not beat him again so long as I was written to the Colonial Secretary for that and would have to pay \$10 as amends to "the truth, the whole truth, and nothing there. I saw him strike 8 or 10 cuts. document, but had got no reply. He the contractor. but the truth." My Chinsman "no likee They were as hard blows as a man could believed it was considered a privileged mat hee," and a consultation accordingly give. They fell on the back, shoulders and document. On the 26th this man Tse had to be he d between the interpreter and arm. The man put up his left arm to Ashun, in face of all letters and warnings,

> To the Magistrate: Mr Neate said the fly in the way they did, cried out tai, tai man had been trying to murder him. The they were frightened and believed the man said nothing about blasting. I had consequences of such a style of doing heard no blasting. I said he had better work might be serious. By the Comtake the man to the Police Station. I mon Law of England if a man picked one's pocket, even were it only of a pocket. To Mr Neste: You dragged him a handkerchief, one was justified in knocking certain distance and he then went willingly. bim down. That might be considered a I did not see this gentleman there (Mr | very trifling offence compared with showerman presented a pistol at one, there was no

The Magistrate said the Law was that if hand holding his tail, the other on his a man was threatened, if his life was in collar. I asked "what has the man been danger, he was expected to retire as far as and detaining her for the purpose of pro- thority incurable at his age, but although Ho Akwai, on being questioned, said Mr Neate then called the attention of

tent to do bodily injury to any person.

The Magistrate pointed out that the element of intent was not present there. Mr Neate alleged intent to do him grie-You spoke to me in the north-east corner of vous bodily harm, and to injure his alone. When the second defendant took | ces of Germany, who were Mr Whamthe house, but I was not there when the shot property. He read again, in justification; her to the house on the 24th, that was pon's guests, paid graceful tributes. took place. I did not see the complainant the passage quoted above from Chitty. Be about 3 o'clock, before complainant had standing on the hill looking defiantly at the also quoted "Every man his own Lawyer," taken the tea. She afterwards went back defendant when the abots were being fired. p. 381, to prove this right to enter to abate | to her mother-in-law's house, but is unable

"I told him not to do it so," meaning that charge of the Prays works. I have been stockings, and a jacket. She had all these I did not like them to blast so late. He employed off and on here for 18 years. On articles on her person when she took usually blasted about 11.60 or 11.45, this Good Friday I was going along the Robin- the tea. They are of the total value of was 12.10 or so. I did not see the com- son Road in a chair about poon, just below about \$23.00. She remained in first defen plainant run away the moment the shot the new house in course of erection there. dant's house for several days before returnwas fired. He had plenty of time to get I saw a stone come bounding into the road ling to her mother-in-law's house. A away without running. I could walk the a few yards behind me. The coolies drop- woman, who called herself the first defen- formed the only sight worth seeing in Mr Neste: Which would you consider into the road, bounded into the wall on the day. Complainant was unable to say why vels touching on Singapore within the the more severe,—the beating I gave him opposite side and struck back again. Had she did not go back to her husband's house. or the beating Mr Stephens gave him a few that stone struck me in the chair it would | She generally wears two pairs of trousers, have killed me.

Cross-examined: 1 did not go to see one pair on. ing. I deny it. You have no right to say | where it came from ; I did not see it was my business. I did not report the matter | defendant :-- Complainant said she had only Witness: I never saw Mr Stephens lay to any of my superiors. I mentioned it to a been in this Colony about four months. few of my friends as a narrow escape of my Her husband, who is a dealer in pork, life. I did not see it was my duty to report | brought ber here. She was once married it to the Surveyor General.

man, and was for some time an overseer of Seyingpoon, and it was only a few days coolies on the Praya works. I know Mr afterwards that she got married to her Witness: Not that man. There was a Stephens' house on the Robinson Road, I second husband. She went through no Mr Neate: Were the strokes or cuts never seen a shield used. I know perfectly away from him. The first defendant also well what a shield is. I have seen them lived in the same street, Second Street, as used. I have seen the stones fly about her husbaud. When she was first intro-

months two or three times. I have heard time in the afternoon. She remained in was 15 feet distant; there were there no blasting several hundred times. On one of first defendant's house some days after he these occasions when Law the blasting the had gone to Canton. She received one Mr Neate then in his own behalf ad stone came close to the kitchen at the door jacket from the first defendant through his h use. I twice went to see the blasting he did not express any anger at operations. On one occasion there was absence. She said to him that she had nothing placed over the powder; on the done wrong, but she did not go down on latter occasions there were two bags over it. her knees and beg his pardon. I heard but did not see the blasting of To His Wership :- She did not go out Good Friday.

> deposed to knowing the house now being by-and-bye. built; had seen blasting; had seen stones flying after bleating into the garden; re- case till to-morrow, both defendants to be membered such a thing bappening on admitted to ball in \$100. Good Friday, Saw some stones fall lato the garden; Mr Neate, bis wife and child. witness and another coolie were in the garden then. Five days afterwards there was more blasting. Stones fell near the house. Mo Aking, servant to Mr Neate size gave evidence. He had often seen stones flying about near his mister's house. He saw last Friday, a stone fall down near Dorabive's stables; never saw shields used in this

falling near the cook-room. Had never seen a shower of stones had seen two

Supendiary Slanderer. The Japan Mail, duly which General Grant would devolve never spoken to me about any danger reported the matter to the Surveyor General right to be heard by his solicitor. Dealing opium." Complainant's bost made all baying changed ownership several times upon them General Grant's object might existing in the manner in which I blasted. and he wrote to Messrs Sharp and Danby with the facts of the case he said Mc N eath speed for Hongkong but was overtaken and duct has now settled down into a partisan alert man of business, for example, instead me very kindly with regard to the way nuisance. Still in the face of three letters Nexte had quoted Chitty and some other down below and fastened the hatches upon of Covernment measures, to support which of Dr. Newman, with a roving commission in which I had blasted the rocks. There the nuisance went on and sometimes had book as to the right of a man to enter to them. The defendant was armed with a sentatives of foreign powers of the commis- a person might have enabled American stones and bags before the shot was fired. the house where there are no less than striking this cooly. Now this was to his the others, began their search in the hold. senutives of the most heinous characters merchants to judge for themselves what You did drag me by the queue until I said nine windows by which the stones could (the Magistrate's) mind so grossly absurd They seized boots, hats, some fish, and an To Mr Stephens: I conjectured that Mr he happened for the first time to see what ment had been brought to bear on the complainant found he was in the Canton he had only before heard of. He saw two case. He was perfectly surprised at the river and saw the hakow boat sailing away To Mr Neste: I said when I volunteered stones projected into his garden from a dis- way defendant had attempted to justify the in the direction of Cauton. He also distance of not less than 150 feet. On the same action he had taken. The evidence was covered that a sum of money amounting to "Kill me or cut me open if you like when day one of his coolies saw a large stone quite clear; it was admitted by the de- \$47 in ailver, an car, a quantity of jewthrown into the garden where there were fendant that he had assaulted this man. ellery and other miscellaneous erticles had than 250 feet from the place where the blast | this was an inhuman assault; there was | value to \$100. He then turned his boxt General's Department, went one day to see been carried had that gentleman not come the 29th February and made a report to He saw nothing of their style of duing busi- when there were on his body such marks as he went to the hulk and identified the that reasonable precautions were not taken | fendant believed at the time that he was a sword in his hand.

After the above case had been disposed of the case in which Mr Dauby, of the firm of Coals has been reduced by agreement of all Sharp and Danby, and Tse Ahun, were charged by Inspector Cleaver on the 80th instant on a warrant, for that on several occasions they did unlawfully and negligently blast atone in a quarry adjoining Robinson Road, thereby endangering the safety of the persons residing in the neishbouring

houses or passing along the road; and secondly with causing a quantity of stone to be dressed on the site of a building in course of erection when such could have been dressed in the quarry, was called pro forma and after some desultory conversation was remanded till to-morrow at 2 p. m.*

(Before C. V. Creagh, Esq.)

ADMINISTERING DRUGS. Chan Aon, a shopkeeper, and Chun Atai, a widow, were charged with unlawfully administering a stupifying and overpowering stitution, on the 24th ultimo.

to her house and asked complainant to go 1. Sub-section 18, Section 2 of Ord. 14 to the theatre. She went with the defenband. Witness told him where the old any bonfire, or throw or set fire to any gave her a cop of tea. There was no one or forty years. Adopted as son by his said to the first "this cargo is very good," in 1836, and by his shrewdness and insaw him strike the Chinaman some thirty person, shall be liable to a penalty not ex- became insensible. The second defendant The Magistrate pointed out that the at the same time pointing to witness. The dustry soon became one of the wealthiest Ordinance did not say that any man doing | two defendants also had tea. Complainant | and most substantial of the Chinese rethis was to be dragged about by the queue remained insensible for two nights. She sidents in the place. As Contractor for only knows it was two days because she the British and other Navies, which he Mr Stephens pointed out that his client | was told it was the 26th when she recovered was not doing anything illegal which alone her senses. The first defendant gave her a would have been Mr Neate's justification. | cup of sugar tea, which brought her to her Mr Neate next referred his Worship to senses. On her recovery first defendant sections 27 and 28 of ordinance No. 4 of said he was going to Canton to find his other, nation almost throughout the 1865, which treat of the penalties for (27th) sister who had gone there to purchase some | world visiting these seas, and his name causing gunpowder to explode, &c., or person to go to Singapore. He also asked may be said to have become almost u throwing corrosive fluid with intent to do her to go to Singapore with his sister where household word in the mouths of Naval grievous bodily harm, and (23th) placing she might make some money, but as she did gunpowder near a building, &c., with in- not know where Singapore was she declined He was standing on the hill as usual out a nuisance. Mr Neate then called the fol- to say what day that was. She missed two way. I did make use to you of the words John Menhettet: I am an overseer in a pair of shoes, a pair of trousers, a pair of warmest friends we may mention the

> but on returning to her senses had only To Mr Ng Achoy, who appeared for bret before in her native place. On her arrival Wm. Samuel: I am a Government watch- here she went to live-in Third Street, defendant he did not ask her if she was

> with the second defendant because she Liu Aling, chair poolie to Mr Neste, promised to come back for complainant At this point His Worship remanded the

> > PIRACY IN THE HARBOUR.

money, clothing and other articles of the value of \$100; near Stonecutiers' Island, on the 27th February last.

Habeld a license but did not resollect its memory will not be easily forgotten. number. His wife, son, and nephew wer. He has died-if not full of years, for he

Corroborative evidence was given by the

Singapore. (Times.)

We are informed that Mr. Wells, the Manager of the Gas Works here, has received a telegram from Newcartis, N. S. W., appounding that the price of Australian the shoots.

Major-General Donovan, Commander-in-Chief of the Forces in China and the Straits Settlements, arrived here this morning (80th ult.) in the Kaisar-I-Hind on a tour of inspection.

DEATH OF THE HON. HOH AH KAY WHAMPOA.

(Straits Times.)

Singapore has lost one of its most eminent worthies, of whom any community might be proud. The Hon'ble Hoh Ah Kay Whampon, C.M.G., M.L.C. and Consul for Russia, China and Japan, died, on Saturday morning. He had been ailing for the last three months of a disease, gangrene in the foot, which drug to one Ho Akwai, a married woman, had been pronounced by medical authis was known, the announcement of his demise which reached the Square on Saturday afternoon caused a shock of surprise and regret among all classes of the uncle, he succeeded him in his business was for many years, he was brought much into contact with the Naval Officers not only of England but of every

Officers of all nationalities for his neverfailing courfesy and genial hospitality, declined, saying "I am not married to to which royalty itself in the person of you." The first defendant then went out the Duke of Edinburgh, the Grand Duke and complainant was left in the house of Russia, the Duke of Genoa, and Prin-There is not perhaps a naval officer in Whampoa, from the midshipman to the gold finger rings, six silver hair ornaments, | grey-haired Admiral, and among his names of Admirals Hope, King, and Keppell. Not a stranger came to the place but had heard of Whampon and must go to see his house and gardens and menagerie, which for a long-time ped the chair and ran away. It dropped | dant's sister-in-law, brought her food every | Singapore. There is not a Book of tralast thirty years but mentions his name, and the news of his death will be heard of with regret by numerous friends in

His services to the public here in the

place which he made his long-life abode.

from which he never stirred, were great

and numerous, and being well-known it

Europe and America.

is needless to dilate upon them. It is sufficient to say that he was pre-eminently distinguished for his large-hearted benevolence and liberal-minded charachave been neveral times on the ground in marriage ceremony, but simply went to live | ter and for his fact and judgment. Speakphens struck him, but there was no harm which it is being built. I have seen the with him. After staying with him for a ing English with the accent and idiom shots discharged several times. I have little time the second defendant took her of a well-bred and well-read English the literature and science of the West, from this work, in a most dangerous man- duced to the first defendant it was not and had a liking for its customs and arranged that she should stay with him. manners, but he still remained true to Cross-examined by Mr Stephens: My Where she slept when in his horse there his own nationality and was sometimes busicess is to see that nothing is stolen. was only a bed but no clothes. She found, jealous in asserting it. He sent his only seen blasting; no notice given with the compied. When introduced to the first had become, as he thought, rather too Chat Aling: I am boy to Mr Neate. I willing to stay with him. She took no food adopted Western costume, he asserted. blasting going on there within the last six when she had recovered her senses, some his returning to the faith, manners, and costume of his forefathers. Ever the friend of order, his influence, advice, and services were always at the command of, and were often availed of by to show his Worship that he was perfectly sion the stone struck the wall of the went back to her mother-in-law because the successive Governors who have ruled. justified in every action he had taken house. Another time it struck near the the first defendant said he would sell her, in the Straits during his career. And the 26th of last month. Mr Neste had throughout this affair. He relied on the cock-house. These stones would not have and she wished to return to her husband. his tact and judgment were shown by Common Law of England as set forth in so struck without coming over the cock. When she returned to her reputed husband the fact that, while regarded with recommunity, Natives and Europeans alike. he also enjoyed the confidence and personal friendship of each successive Goveernor and all the officials. His sphoints ment as one of the Unofficial Members of Council in 1867 was hailed with general approval, and the same feeling was expressed when he was named in 1876 as a Companion of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, It was a unique dis-Kong Kam, a sesman on board the tinction, but a happy one and well-merit-Cheung Li salt junk, was charged, with ed. His later appointments as Consul others not in custody, with feloniously and for Russin, China and depan afford furby force of same, stealing from a boat be ther proofs of his cosmopolitan calebrity onging to one Leung Un Hi, a fisherman, and the confidence in his abilities and integrity inspired. His decease will cause a great blank in the community Loung Un Hi, said he was fishing in his which will not be readily filled up in Ling Ayew, cook, corroborated previous boat on the date in question near Stone the Colony, but his name has been inwiruess as to stones from the blasting outters' laland in the harbour of Victoria, scribed indelibly in its annals, and his

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THE S. S. GAELIO will be despatched for San Francisco via Yokohama, on WEDNESDAY, 7th April, 1880,

3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central and South America, and Europe. Connection is made at Yokohama, with

Steamers from Shanghai. Freight will be received on Board until 4 p.m. of the 6th April. PARCEL parts of the World.

PACKAGES will be received at the Office Subject to a charge

of same is required. A REDUCTION is made on RETURN PAS-SAGE TICKETS.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland, Mexican, Central and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Offices addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central. G. B. EMORY, Agent.

Hongkong, March 17, 1880.



STEAM FOR

ISINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI-TERRANEAN PORTS, SOUTH-AMPTON, AND LONDON,

VIA BOMBAY;

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship GWALIOR, Captain J. C. BABOT, will leave this on WEDNESDAY, the 7th April, at 11 p.m.

Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed vid Bombay, and there transhipped, arriving one week later than by direct route. Silk and Valuables will be transferred to the Calcutta steamer at

For further Particulars, apply to A. MolVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, March 25, 1880.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSHILLES; AL80.

BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND PORT LOUIS.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 14th April. 1880, at Noon, the Company's S. S. AMAZONE, Commandant LORMIER, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the

above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and socepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 13th April, 1880. (Parcels are not of India, China and Australia. to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are re-

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, April 1, 1880.



MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA KOBE AND INLAND SEA

HUBINET, due here on or about the 12th Instant, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 17th April, at Day- Ide.

No Bill of Lading signed under \$2 All Claims must be settled on board before delivery is taken, otherwise they will not be recognized.

RATES OF PASSAGE. NAVASARI. De. \$75. Do. \$20. A REDUCTION IS made on RETURN CARIN Parages.

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Company's OFFICES, No. 50A. QUEEN'S BOAD CENTRAL Hongkolig, April 8, 1880.

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Intimations.

THE CHINA REVIEW.

THE widely-expressed regret at the dis-continuance of Notes & Queries on China and Japan, has induced the publishers of this journal to issue a publication similar in object and style, but slightly modified in certain details.

THE CRINA REVIEW, or Notes and CUMULATION, 25th }Tls. 856,370 Queries on the Far East, is issued at intervals of two months, each number containing about 60 octavo pages, occasionally illustrated with lithographs, photographs, woodcuts, &c., should the papers published demand, and the circulation justify, such The subscription is fixed at \$6.50 postage

paid, per annum, payable by non-residents in Hongkong half-yearly in advance.

The publication includes papers original and selected upon the Arts and Sciences, Ethnology, Folklore, Geography, History, Literature, Mythology, Manners and Customs, Natural History, Religion, &c., &c., of China, Japan, Mongolia, Tibet, the Eastern Archipelego and the "Far East."

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> Notes and Replies are classified together as "Notes" (head references being | St. Peter's Senmen's Church, West Point. 10c80 given, when furnished, to previous Notes St. Joseph's (R.C.) Church, Garden or Queries), as are also those queries which though asking for information, furnish new or unpublished details concerning the matter in band. It is desirable to make the Queries proper as brief and as much to the point as possible.

The China Review for July and August, 1875, is at hand. It says that forty-two essays were sent in to compete for the best paper on the advantages of Christianity for the development of a State. All our learned societies should subscribe to this scholarly and enterprising Review. It is a sixty paged, bi-monthly, repertory of what acholars are ascertaining about China. The lecture on Chinese Poetry in this volume is alone worth the price of the Review. Address China Review, Hongkong. - Northern

Christian Advocate (U.S.) Trubner's Oriental Record contains the following notice of the China Review :- " This is the title of a publication, the first number of which has lately reached us from Hongkong, where it has been set on foot as in some respects a continuation of Notes and Queries on China and Japan, the extinction of which useful serial a year or two ago has been much regretted in Europe as well as in China. Thepresent publication, judging by the number now before us, is intended to occupy a position, as regards China and the neighbouring countries, somewhat similar to that which has been filled in India by the Calcutta Review. The great degree of attention that has been bestowed of late years upon the investigation of Chinese literature, antiquities, and social developments, to say nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some such channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desirable; and contributions of much interest may fairly be looked for from the members of the foreign consular services, the Chinese Customs' corps, and the missionary body, EWEN, FRICKEL & Co. among whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is now assiduously cultivated, and who are severally represented in the first number of the Review by papers highly creditable to their respective authors. In Queen's Road. a paper on Dr. Legge's She King, by the Rev. E. J. Eitel, to which the place of lars, Optical Instruments, Mordan's honour is deservedly given, an excellent Pencil-cases, &c .- John Noble, agent summary is presented of the chronological for Negretti & Zambra. problems and arguments involved in connexion with this important work. Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both accuracy and freshness tions .- WM. SCHMIDT & Co., Gun THE Undersigned are prepared to grant of style; and an account of the career of makers, Eastern House of Beaconsfield Policies against Fire to the extent to the Chinese poet-statesman of the eleventh Arcade. \$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored | century, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra, therein, at current local rates, subject to a is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, if carried out with punctuality and detail, we are glad to notice that "Notes" and "Queries" are destined to find a place in its pages also. It is to be hoped that this opening for contributions on Chinese subjects may evoke a similar degree of literary zeal to that which was displayed during the lifetime of its predecessor in the field, and that the China Review

> form a substantial octavo magazine. THE CHINESE MAIL.

may receive the support necessary to insure its continuance. The publication is intend-

This paper is now issued every day. The subscription is fixed at Four Dollars per annum delivered in Hongkong, or Seven Dollars Fifty Cents including postage to Coast ports.

It is the first Chinese Newspaper ever issued under purely native direction. The chief support of the paper is of course derived from the native community, Four Coolies, amongst whom also are to be found the Three Coolies,

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The field open to a paper of this descrip Proposals for Life Assurances will be re- tion-conducted by native efforts, but progressive and anti-obstructive in tonein almost limitless. It on the one hand commands Chinese belief and Interest 2nd Class Cargo Boat of 600 while on the other deserves every aid that can be given to it by foreigners. Like English journals it contains Editorials. with Local, Shipping, and Commercial News and Advertisements.

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Visitors' Column.

We have instituted as an experiment a VISITORS' COLUMN, which we trust will prove successful, and be found useful. To it will be relegated from time to time such items of information, lists, tables and other intelligence as is considered likely to prove valuable to persons passing through the City, and in connection with we have opened SELECT HOTEL AND BUSINESS DIRECTORY, applications for enrolment into which we are now ready to receive.

List of Public Buildings. Government House, North of Public

City Hall, Library (8,000 volumes) and Museum,-Free. Public Gardens, a beautifully picturesque retreat and of great interest. The Clock Tower, Queen's Road Central, in a line with Pedder's Wharf. General Post Office, Hongkong Club, German Club, Supreme Court, &c., within a stone's-throw.

Lusitano Club and Library, Shelley St. Government Offices, the Secretariat, &c., near the Public Gardens. St. John's Cathedral (Anglican), above-

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